



Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Examiner contacted Rory Pheiffer to discuss amending independent claims 1 and 29 in order to place the application in condition for allowance. Examiner noted that the claims in their current state would be rejected over Choung. Examiner noted that adding the limitations from claim 20 to claim 1 would place claim 1 and claims dependent thereon in condition for allowance. Examiner also noted that in claims 8 and 36, "a tissue attachment member having a bore" should be "a tissue attachment member in the form of a bore". Rory Pheiffer agreed. It was also noted that the "second shaft" of claim 24 should be "said insertion shaft". It was noted by Examiner that amending claim 29 to state that the installation tool shaft is releasably secured (rather than configured to be releasably secured) would place claim 29 and claims dependent thereon in condition for allowance. Examiner also noted that terminal disclaimers would need to be filed for Patent no.'s 6733506 and 6770073. Rory Pheiffer agreed to the amendments and to filing the terminal disclaimers. See the Examiner's Amendment for the final version of the amendments.